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Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 18, 2005, please accept this Response to the restriction requirement entered pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 121 for the above-identified application.

REMARKS

In the April 18, 2005 Office Action the Examiner entered a restriction requirement for the following inventions

I: Claims 1-24, 33-58 drawn to an apparatus for speed controlled exercise, classified in class 482, subclass 8.

II: Claims 25-32, drawn to a method for a controlled exercise, classified in class 434, subclass 247.

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement, Applicants elect the invention of Invention I, claims 1-24, and 33-58, without traverse, for further examination.

Applicants have timely filed this response which is due May 18, 2005. If any extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-2814. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Should the Examiner wish to discuss any of the foregoing in greater detail, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

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